

POSTPONED QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Budget Session 1950.

The installed capacity of the plants in the various Government and Government-aided industrial concerns and annual production since 1943-44 till the end of December 1949.

*Q.—59. **SRI L. SIDDAPPA** (Shimoga District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the installed capacity of the plants in the various Government and Government-aided industrial concerns in the State;

(b) the annual production in the said concerns since 1943-44 till the end of December 1949: (i) in terms of quantity and (ii) in terms of the value of the products;

(c) (i) the amount invested in each concern: (1) by way of capital and (2) by way of working expenses each year;

(ii) the net profit in each concern every year since 1943-44 and at what percentage does the profit work out in each year;

(d) whether any schemes for the expansion of the existing factories and starting of fresh industries have been sanctioned by Government since 1945-46; if so, what are they and what is the cost of expansion in each case as originally sanctioned and as finally revised, if there is revision (the dates and numbers of Government Orders sanctioning expansion schemes and revision of the said schemes may also be furnished); the progress made?

A.—**The Hon'ble Sri H. C. DASAPPA** (Minister for Finance and Industries).—

Government-owned Industrial Concerns.

- (a) 1. Mysore Iron and Steel Works—
 (a) Blast Furnace ... 80 tons per day.
 (b) Pipe Foundry ... 30 tons per day.
 (c) Rolling Mills ... 80 tons average.

(d) Cement plant ... 60 tons per day.

(e) Ferro-Silicon Furnace ... 1,800 tons per annum (for two furnaces).

2. Government Electric Factory—

(a) Two hundred and fifty transformers per month.

(b) Five hundred Electric motors per month.

(c) Two thousand and five hundred iron-clad switches.

(d) Street lights, entouts and other electrical accessories for the Electrical Department at a value of Rs. 50,000.

(e) Electrical Hardware—10 tons per month.

(f) Structural works to the Electric Department at a value of Rs. 20,000.

(g) Pump sets 250 per month.

(h) Bakelite Electric wares at a value of Rs. 29,000.

(i) Survey Instruments at a value of Rs. 1,000.

3. Government Porcelain Factory—

Four hundred and fifty to five hundred and fifty tons a year.

4. Government Soap Factory—

Seven hundred tons of soap per year.

5. Government Central Industrial Workshop—

As the Workshop has been doing mainly repairing works of quite a miscellaneous character, the installed capacity cannot be definitely stated.

6. Government Silk Weaving Factory, Mysore—

One lakh and fifty thousand yards per annum.

7. Mysore Implements Factory, Hassan—

About Rs. 2,50,000 per annum —products worth—

8. Sandalwood Oil Factories—

Fifteen thousand lbs. of Sandalwood Oil per month.

9. Government Dichromate Factory—

Two hundred and fifty tons of Dichromate and 250 tons of sodium sulphate per annum.

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(b), (c) and (d) Information is not readily available and the collection of accurate statistics will involve considerable labour and time.

(4) Sales Tax Department.

(5) Government Road Transport Department.

(b) About Rs. 53'38 lakhs.

(c) About 825.

(d) About 734.

Departments newly started since November 1947!

*Q.—104. Sri B. C. NANJUNDIAH (Tumkur District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of Departments newly started since November 1947 and which are they;

(b) the amount of expenditure incurred on this behalf;

(c) the number of officers newly appointed for this purpose (Gazetted and Non-Gazetted);

(d) out of them, the number of persons newly recruited?

A.—The Hon'ble Sri H. C. DASAPPA (Minister for Finance and Industries).—

(a) Five—

(1) Department of Statistics.

(2) Government Law College.

(3) Occupational Institutes, Hassan and Davangere.

Action taken on observations by Judges re: investigation and conduct of murder cases.

*Q.—169. Sri S. RANGARAMIAH (Mysore District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of murders committed in the State from 1945 to 1949 (districtwar and yearwar);

(b) how many cases were charge-sheeted and how many were convicted and how many acquitted finally;

(c) whether any observations have been made by the Judges in respect of investigation and conduct of cases;

(d) if so, the action taken by the Government in view of such observations?

A.—The Hon'ble Sri K. T. BHASHYAM (Minister for Law and Labour).—

(a) and (b)

Serial No.	District	Number of murders committed from 1945 to 49					Total	Number charge-sheeted	Number convicted	Number acquitted, discharged, etc.
		1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49	1949-50				
1	Mysore	13	13	20	19	14	81	63	20	27
2	Mandya	4	9	6	9	7	35	35	11	17
3	Hassan	8	12	8	13	5	41	31	13	12
4	Bangalore	28	37	37	24	...	126	99	15	28
5	Kolar	10	13	16	8	...	49	37	8	13
6	Tumkur	13	8	15	22	5	63	56	16	32
7	Shimoga	3	12	8	13	5	41	38	8	17
8	Chickmagalur	4	6	12	8	5	35	28	18	10
9	Chitaldrug	12	10	10	13	7	52	52	11	27

(c) Yes.

(d) Only one such instance has been reported to Government and the matter is under correspondence with the High Court and the Inspector-General of Police.

Auditing the accounts of the Agricultural Range (Central Depot) at Bangalore.

*Q.—173. Sri K. SINGARI GOWDA (Mandya District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether the accounts of the Agricultural Range Depot (Central